

be given at the Country Club of Virginia this evening. The tables will be arranged in shaded lights and baskets of spring flowers, and the sun parlor and main dining-room of the club will be decorated in palms.

There will be the usual informal hop the club following dinner, and a ringed orchestra will play for the

Mrs. Ressie Berry Grabowskii, of 117 Mrs. Ressie Berry Grabowskii, of 117 North Fifth Street, will entertain at a tea Tuesday afternoon, February 15, at 4:30 o'clock, in honor of Miss Louise E. Dew, of New York. The affair is informal, and the invitations include the women writers of Richmond. About twenty-five guests will be present. Miss Dew will address the Art Club of Richmond next Tuesday, and Wednesday afternoon she will speak at the Woman's Club on the works of Rabindranath Tagore.

Volentine Party.

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The Valentine party of the Mary Thomas Auxiliary to the Virginia Home for Incurables, will take place this afternoon in the Jefferson auditorium from 4 to 7 o'clock.

The grand march will begin at 4:15, and St. Valentine—Fred Wilmer—will present each child in the march with a valentine. Games and general dancing will follow. Mrs. Hamilton Smith's class of little folks will sing several congs: Misses Helen Adams, May Corgan. Elsie Ingram and Mary Todd will lead the games, and there will be special dancing by members of Miss Binderd class. Gwendelyn Selden will dance. "Spring", Mary Miller, Emma Riely, Aline Meade, Katherine Robinson and Nora Lee Antrim will dance. "Fretty Baby." Ellinge Fry, Ruby Bigser, Jane Scales, Mildred Gates and Mary Sodler will dance Egyptian and Spanish dances. Mrs. Charles E. Wortham, Jr., has charge of the lee cream cooth. Assisting her are am, Jr. has charge of the loc cream booth. Assisting her, are

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Miss Anne Lee, of Upperville, is the Scouts will assemble by troops prompt.

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There will be an important meeting of the Richmond Section of the National Civic Federation this morning at 11 o'clock, with Mrs. J. Allison Hodges, 107 East Franklin.

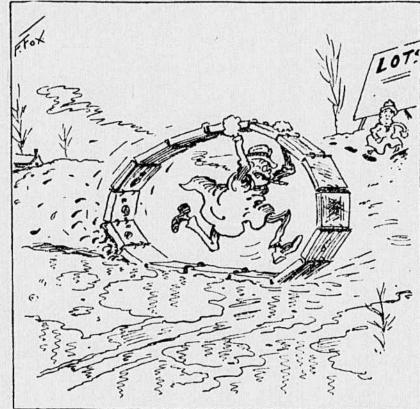
To Be Married on Thursday.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
FREDERICKSBURG, VA., February
P.-Mr. and Mrs. J. Adolph Flemer, of
Webimereland County, have issued invitations to the marriage of their daughter. Cornelia, to Julian H. Griffith, the ceremony to take place on Thursday evening, February 15, at 7:30 e/clock at St. Peter's Church, Oak

Dickerson—Killman.
[Special to The Times-Dispatch I FREDERICKSBURG, VA., February 2.—Amos Dickerson, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Dickerson, and Miss Lizzie Killman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ellaworth Killman, all of King George County, were married yesterday by Rev. A. W. Graves.

. New Charter Is Sought. [Special to The Times-Dispatch.] NORFOLK, VA., February 9.—Norfolk soon will have an election on the question of a commission to frame a new charter for the city. Petitions are being circulated, and when the requisite number of signatures, about 700, has been obtained, the election will be called.

Mr. Jones of Swamphurst Has Invented a Commuter's Caterpillar Hoop for Usc When the Spring Thaw Conyright, 1917, International News Service,



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alted by the central district in the dispersion of the solid was decorated with a silver basket of jonguils and marcissus.

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Another interesting charity event of one work will be the benefit performance to day at the New Theater, under the auspices and direction of the Whittle Memorial Circle of Kings Baughters. The work of this circle embraces helping the Belle Bryan Day Nurzery, caimn for children in the mountain missions, supporting a cot at the Schietring Arms and lending as sistance to several families in need.

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IN AND OUT OF TOWN.

Grand Assembly To-Night.

A real Roy Scout moving-picture
Show is on the program for to-night.

For a long while there has been requests coming to the local headquarto Norfolk, after an extended stay in
Chicago.

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several weeks at the Jefferson Hotel

Mrs. Anne Lee, of Upperville, is the

South of Honor

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A real Roy Scout moving-picture
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For a long while there has been requests coming to the local headquarters to have moving pictures protraying Scout work and at last the time is
here when this picture can be seen.

To-night at the Binford Junior High
School every Scout, including 600 or
too of their friends. If he given an
opportunity to see the picture entitled
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Carter, at 205 West Franklin Street.
Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Mehegan, of
Gichmond, are guests of Mr. and Mrs.
William M. Jones at their home. in
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Mrs. M. C. Moneure, of this city, is visiting her son, R. C. L. Moneure, in Newport News.

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Mrs. Nannie Price Ballard, of "Dundee," is spending the mouth of February in Richmond.

The civic good-turn tokens carned by the local Scouts during the distribution of Christmas stockings, the Mr. and Mrs. It. M. Lowry, of this work around the Christmas tree, and city, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas the civie duty on the return of the Lowry in Norfolk.

Miss Octavia Duke has returned from Hanover County, where she has been the recent guest of relatives.

WOMEN'S MEETINGS.

The members of the Mary Thomas Auxiliary to the Virginia Home for Incurables are asked to meet in the auditorium of the Jefferson Hotel this merning at 1 o'clock. All contributions made for the Valentine party should be sent to Jefferson by noon to-day.

Soldiers will be presented.

At the regular semi-monthly meeting of the patrol leaders, held at Scout headquarters on Thursday, Scout Davening of the patrol leaders, held at Scout headquarters on Thursday, Scout Davening to the Virginia Home for the Scout Brown, of Troop 29, naving resigned. Attention was called by the Scout sign, which is the right arm at an angle of 65 degrees, thumb clasped across the little finger, paim out. The old form of salute, giving the three fingers against

Beware the Cold Storage Egg! In his work on food and dietetics Doctor Robert Hutchison says, "the absence of carbohydrates prevents eggs from being in any sense a complete food." This refers to the fresh egg - the egg with a clean bill of health. What would the Doctor say of the modern cold storage egg? At present prices two eggs cost ten cents—and the egg is not a complete food! Something must be eaten with it to supply the needed carbohydrates. Two Shredded Wheat Biscuits, with cream or milk, make a complete, perfect meal at a cost of four or five cents. Made at

Niagara Falls, N. Y.

Big Advance in Prices

wives and others who sean the quotations below will readily discover. Everything has gone an price, that is, everything has gone an price, that is, everything except the sea foods—fish and ovsters. All meats have advanced perceptibly, and as for vegetables and fruits—they have simply gone out of sight. The sudden rise in vegetables and fruits and the new increase in the price of fresh country oggs are said to be due to the cold snap that tumbled down on this part of the country a week ago. The news of destructive frosts and freezes in South. Carolina. Georgia and Florida caused the sharp advance of everything in the early vegetable line and the coid snap right here at home estired the Virginia hens from activity, and away up went the price of eggs. None of these things seemed to have affected fish and oysters, and they remain at former quotations. Perhaps the people who have thin pocketbooks will have to stick to sea food diet for a while. thin pocketbooks will have to stick to in charge.
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The quotations below will rule to-

Cooking apples ; peck Oranges dosen Lemons dogen Bananas dogen Grapes Malega pound Grapefrult dogen Crabberries guer Stræbberries beken Pincapples aplæs Vegetab the forchead, is extinct, and in its place
is given the regular inditary salute
with the exception that the hand remains in the same position as in the sign, thumb across little finger

Scout Commissioner Carmist Well.

Fincappies aplue Vegetable,
Currots, spice.

Cambridge, for.
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Turnip salad, peck.
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Fish and Other Sea Food.

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MANY PETITION PARDON

Harrisonburg Man Who Brought In Two Quarts. A flood of letters has poured into the

Governor's office the past few days recommending a pardon for Russell Stultz, the Harrisonburg newspaper man who was sentenced to pay a fine and serve a short term in jail for re-Russell

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According to friends of Stultz, the Except Sea Foods, Shows
Perceptible Increase.

There are all sorts of changes in the retail market this week, as the house-wives and others who sean the quota-tions below will read the sort of the property of the newspaper who needed it for medicinal purposes. In this accommodating his friend, it is said, he relief upon him to watch the delivery dates so as to keep within the law which prescribes a maximum of one quart a month.

It appears, however, that the young man's friend erred in not watching the calendar closely enough, and two

Smith—Hines. [Special to The Times-Dispatch.] CREWE, VA., February 2.—Mrs. Eu-

talia Hines and A. G. Smith were married on Thursday by Rev. Mr. James. LADIES CAN WEAR SHOES

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I began taking it, and in a short while. I began to improve, my health and strength began to be built up, and also my flesh. .

After my first child's birth, over wo years had passed, but the . didn't appear. My husband got me some medicine from our doctor, which did me no good, tho he intended it to bring the . . . about. for he said the blood was going to my head and causing it to ache, which also helped to make me so . So I turned to my old friend Cardui and began taking it and . . . soon I was perfectly well and strong, gradually gained flesh until I weighed about 195 lbs., and was so stout and strong, better than I ever had been."

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